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Indiana Crop Weather

July 26, 2021

Winter Wheat Harvest Wraps Up

Winter wheat harvest neared completion and crop progress was spurred forward thanks to ideal weather conditions last week, according to Nathaniel Warenski, State Statistician, USDA NASS, Indiana Field Office. Soil moisture levels decreased from the previous week, with 91 percent of topsoil moisture reported as adequate or surplus.

The average high temperature across the State ranged from 81 to 91 degrees while the average low temperature ranged from 54 to 65 degrees depending on location. The amount of rainfall varied from 0.00 to 1.53 inches over the week. There were 5.4 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending July 25.

Warm, dry weather conditions spurred crop growth and wheat harvesting progress. The winter wheat harvesting season was all but finished with harvest progress falling just behind the five-year average. Corn silking and dough progress pushed ahead of their respective five-year averages. Despite concerns for blight, grey leaf spotting, and rust in some areas of the State, corn condition remained unchanged from the previous week with 73 percent of crop rated in good to excellent condition. Soybean conditions also remained mostly unchanged despite concerns of yellowing due to standing water in fields and rust with 68 percent of crop rated in good to excellent condition. Soybean blooming and pod setting both remained ahead of their respective five-year averages. Livestock enjoyed rapid pasture growth with 64 percent of pasture rated in good to excellent condition. Second and third cuttings of alfalfa and other hay were taken when possible. Activities for the week included field scouting, equipment repairs, fungicide and herbicide applications, and peach harvest.

Soil Moisture: Week Ending 07/25/21

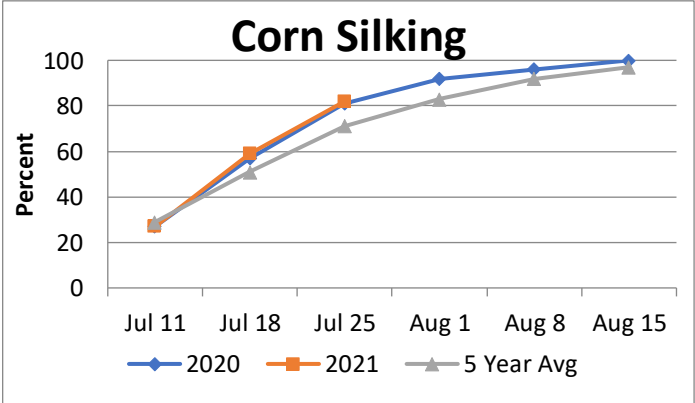
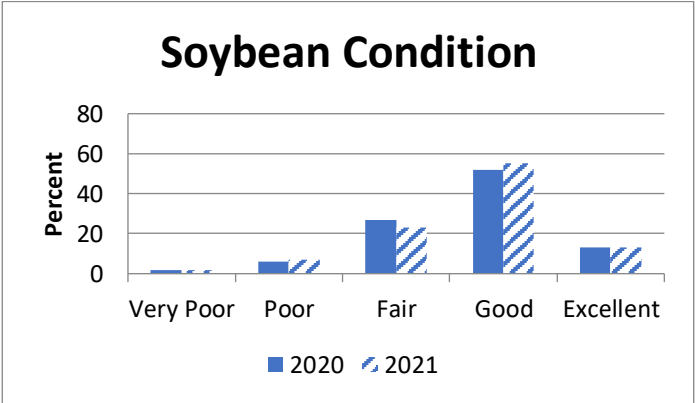
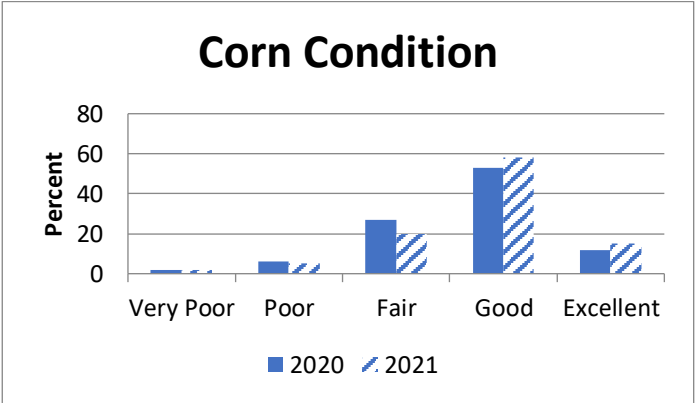
Item	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Topsoil moisture	1	8	78	13
Subsoil moisture	2	9	78	11

Crop Condition: Week Ending 07/25/21

Crop	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn	2	5	20	58	15
Soybeans.....	2	7	23	55	13
Range and Pasture	1	6	29	54	10

Crop Progress: Week Ending 07/25/21

Crop/Activity	Percent Completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Days Suitable for Fieldwork.....	5.4	2.5	NA	NA
Corn Silking	82	59	81	71
Corn Dough.....	19	8	15	12
Soybeans Blooming.....	74	58	77	66
Soybeans Setting Pods	36	19	36	34
Winter Wheat Harvested.....	96	88	99	98
Alfalfa Hay 2nd Cutting.....	81	68	87	83
Alfalfa Hay 3rd Cutting	17	2	NA	NA
Other Hay 2nd Cutting.....	65	55	64	66



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Weather Summary For Indiana

Week Ending 2021-07-25

Since April 1

		Temperature				Precipitation		Precipitation			GDD Base 50		
		High	Low	Avg	DFN	Total	Days	Total	DFN	Days	Total	DFN	
Northwest													
	CHALMERS 5 W	88	62	74	2	0.12	1	17.15	0.91	49	1731	122	
	KNOX WWTP	84	59	72	0	0.85	3	20.16	4.91	52	1636	-6	
	LAPORTE	88	60	74	1	0.64	2	12.77	-2.42	38	1683	81	
	RENSSELAER	89	61	75	1	0.50	1	18.50	3.09	48	1706	-8	
North Central													
	GOSHEN 3SW	88	57	74	1	0.30	2	16.80	1.68	47	1690	93	
	ROCHESTER	88	60	73	0	0.80	1	18.23	2.12	45	1657	66	
Northeast													
	ANGOLA	86	54	71	-1	1.53	2	15.83	1.06	48	1472	56	
	COLUMBIA CITY	81	57	69	-3	0.00	0	16.15	0.44	39	1322	-182	
	HUNTINGTON	86	57	72	-1	0.00	0	15.18	-0.75	35	1666	35	
West Central													
	LAFAYETTE PURDUE UNIVERSITY AP	89	61	75	1	0.02	1	16.94	1.78	46	2088	303	
	PERRYSVILLE 4 WNW	90	61	75	1	1.18	1	17.77	1.49	45	1796	-45	
	ROCKVILLE	90	63	77	2	1.50	2	21.01	2.16	36	1592	-315	
	SPENCER	88	62	75	1	0.02	1	23.90	4.67	47	1755	28	
Central													
	COLUMBUS	87	63	74	-1	0.03	1	21.64	4.39	51	1739	-159	
	FRANKFORT DISPOSAL	88	63	75	2	0.31	1	17.97	1.71	44	1725	29	
	INDIANAPOLIS INTL AP	88	65	76	1	0.00	0	21.21	4.30	48	1885	24	
	TIPTON 5 SW	89	60	73	1	0.04	1	18.27	2.00	44	1679	84	
East Central													
	HARTFORD CITY 4 ESE	86	57	72	-1	0.09	2	13.29	-1.89	43	1680	-28	
	NEW CASTLE 3 SW	86	57	70	-2	0.00	0	17.05	-0.87	43	1547	-58	
	RICHMOND WATER WORKS	82	60	71	-3	0.00	0	16.65	0.36	42	1529	-184	
Southwest													
	SHAKAMAK STATE PARK	88	64	75	0	0.65	1	10.80	-7.38	35	1427	-448	
	SHOALS 8 S	91	65	77	3	0.00	0	19.07	0.32	39	2104	292	
	WASHINGTON 1 W	89	64	77	-1	0.05	1	18.37	-0.18	32	2128	-44	
South Central													
	BLOOMINGTON INDIANA UNIV	87	63	75	-1	0.00	0	25.47	6.61	43	1781	-93	
	OOLITIC PURDUE EX FRM	86	62	73	-1	0.04	1	18.71	0.49	46	1701	-101	
	TELL CITY	88	65	75	-4	0.00	0	16.94	-1.04	35	1864	-390	
Southeast													
	BROOKVILLE	89	60	74	-1	0.00	0	20.23	3.38	45	1815	-8	
	NORTH VERNON 2 ESE	86	60	73	-2	0.00	0	19.99	2.48	43	1821	-123	

Note:
Summary based on NOAA Regional Climate Centers (RCCs) data. Climate normals used are for the 1981-2010 period.
Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches. Air temperature in degrees Fahrenheit.